## LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY OFFICE OF FISCAL AND MANAGEMENT ANALYSIS

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## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

**LS 7700 DATE PREPARED:** Jan 12, 1999

BILL NUMBER: SB 495 BILL AMENDED:

**SUBJECT:** Foundry sand.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL IMPACT: State

DEDICATED FEDERAL

<u>Summary of Legislation:</u> (1) This bill requires an inspector from the Department of Environmental Management or a designated agent of the Department to provide 48 hours notice to a regulated entity before making a routine inspection that may uncover more than one category of violations.

(2) It permits the use of Type III foundry sand in a land application operation or for soil amendments. It requires foundry sand to meet certain requirements to get and maintain Type III criteria status.

Effective Date: July 1, 1999.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** (1) This provision requires an inspector or a designated agent from the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) to provide at least 48 hours notice to a regulated entity before making a routine inspection that may uncover more than one category of violations. This may increase expenditures for telephone calls or postage.

(2) This provision allows individuals to use foundry sand that meets Type III criteria in a land application operation or for soil amendments without having to obtain any permits from IDEM. Currently, individuals who want to use foundry sand make a request to IDEM for beneficial reuse. IDEM has not received any requests for these uses, but has received telephone inquiries. It is estimated that this will not have a fiscal impact on IDEM.

**Explanation of State Revenues:** (2) Since individuals do not have to pay a fee when making a request, this will not have a fiscal impact.

## **Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

## **Explanation of Local Revenues:**

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State Agencies Affected: Indiana Department of Environmental Management

**Local Agencies Affected:** 

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